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Students Fit In At Lower Merion

Preparation by Narberth High School Praised

Contrary to the dolorous reports published broadest last year by those who knew nothing about our local schools, the Narberth pupils now attending Lower Merion have shown no ill effects from their years at Narberth. In fact, according to reports from the Ardmore institution, Narberth students are in many cases more than holding their own with their classmates of Lower Merion Township.

This news is of interest to the scores of residents and former Narberth students who maintained their loyalty to our excellent local schools when the system was attacked; and the information that the change of schools was accomplished without serious hitch is a relief to the many working towards the union of Narberth and Lower Merion High Schools.

Mr. George H. Wilson, Principal of the Narberth Schools, has received these reports from the Lower Merion authorities. The head of one of the departments wrote: "I want to compliment you upon the very thorough preparation which your school apparently gave your pupils last year. We have four of your students in our advanced class and they are all doing well—much more than merely holding their own."

There are 78 of our students now at Lower Merion, and save for difficulties in adjusting one subject—French—have fitted very smoothly into the new organization.

Lower Merion is as crowded this year as was Narberth last year, and no relief will be experienced, it is said, until the new Junior High School building is completed—probably next January.

The Narberth School has had a thorough going over, and many improvements in the interior made. Under the present enrollment, the buildings, by careful planning, will just about accommodate the elementary and Junior High School pupils.

At the meeting of the School Board last Monday night, the appointments of two members of the faculty were approved. These are Miss Harriet Culvert as Teacher of Domestic Science and Superintendent of the Lunch Room, and Miss Katharine Maher to take charge of a new department of the school work. Miss Maher will act as resident nurse and visiting teacher. She will watch the health of the pupils, keep track of absences, and visit the homes of ill or absent students.

Because of the heavy growth of the seventh grade it will probably be necessary for the Board to secure an additional teacher to take charge of one section. Provisions have also been made for the securing of a coach to take charge of football, and later, basketball and baseball among the Junior High School students.

The smoothness with which the transfer of students was made to Lower Merion, and the satisfactory adjustments made at Narberth reflect a great deal of credit upon Principal Wilson and the members of the Board who worked with him to accomplish the wishes of the people in abandoning our local High School.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Carl C. Eutenmann announces the engagement of her daughter, Elizabeth Dorothea Harsch, to Mr. James Donald Ivar Wood, son of Brigadier-General and Mrs. John P. Wood, of Wayne, Pa.

Miss Harsch has returned from Owls Head, Maine, where she spent the summer.

Owing to the absence of the President of the Evangel Circle of King's Daughters, the regular meeting will be postponed until Wed., Oct. 10th, 10:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Fred E. Derby, 106 N. Narberth Ave. A large attendance is requested.

Women Voters Are After Members

Local Body Joining In National Campaign

The opening luncheon of the Community Club will be held on Tuesday, October 16th, at one o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. building. The list of guests will include presidents from the city and county clubs, interesting speakers who will bring to the Narberth Club inspiration and valuable information regarding the work of women's clubs for the coming year.

A meeting of the Executive Board was held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Jacobs, Thursday morning, September 27th, when plans for the winter's work were discussed. Appointments of chairmen for the season, so far as completed, are as follows:

Legislative Chairman—Mrs. E. C. Batchelor.

Civic Chairman—Mrs. Leroy C. Douglass.

Press Chairman—Mrs. Wm. E. Borger.

Hospitality—Mrs. Horace McConnell. Comforts for the Sick—Mrs. Wm. Livingston.

Music—Mrs. L. Trotter.

Dramatics—Mrs. James Donnelly.

Librarian—Mrs. R. F. Wood.

Announcements regarding the classes to be organized will appear in next week's issue.

Board of Directors' Meeting

The Board of Directors of the Community Club met at the home of Mrs. C. P. Fowler, Thursday, the 20th, for the election of their new officers. Mrs. Wm. Sibley was elected President of the Board, Mrs. E. C. Batchelor, Vice President, and Mrs. J. S. Harris, Secretary and Treasurer.

JUNIORS OPEN UP NEXT WEEK

The Junior Section of the Woman's Community Club begins its Fall and Winter activities Thursday evening, October 4th, when a meeting will be held at the home of Miss Ruth Haws, 107 Dudley Ave., Narberth.

Although plans for the coming season are as yet incomplete, the prospects are that this will be the most successful year that this thriving organization has thus far had.

This meeting is to be a "get-together" affair, with a surprise promised us by our energetic Entertainment Committee. What that is can be found out by appearing at the meeting.

There are quite a few new faces in Narberth, and attempts have been made by the Club to extend a personal invitation to any non-members to join with us. If, however, your residence in the town has been brief and you have not been approached on the subject, we would be glad to have you communicate with Miss Margaret Burrell, 145 Merion Avenue, or appear in person next Thursday night.

NARBERTH HAS HEAVIEST RAINFALL IN STATE

The August Climatological Data for Pennsylvania has just been issued, in which it is pointed out that Narberth experienced the heaviest rainfall in the State for 24 hours, 4.10 inches.

It will be remembered that this was recorded as a result of the severe storm on the 5th. A copy of "Our Town," which contained an account of the storm, was sent by the Co-operative Observer to the Weather Bureau, Philadelphia.

BIG ATTENDANCE

On last Friday the Narberth Troop of Girl Scouts opened the new season with a large meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Building. There were 48 girls present, and it looks as if we are going to have a very prosperous year. Next Tuesday evening the girls are planning to have a little flower show. Of course we will be glad to have any of our friends come and see what gardens we have in our midst and how artistically we can arrange our products.

The FIRESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Taylor, of St. Louis, are being congratulated on the birth of a son. Mrs. Taylor was Miss Elizabeth Reger, formerly of Montgomery Ave., Narberth.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Nulty, of Meeting House Lane, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Jane, on September 20th. Mrs. Nulty will be remembered as Miss Kathryn Maguire.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Neehan, of Lambertville, N. J., have purchased a home at 27 Montgomery Ave.

Mrs. Charles Reger, of Montgomery Ave., is visiting her daughter in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Logue, of West Philadelphia, has moved into her new home at 36 Montgomery Ave.

Mrs. V. Hastings and her daughter Louise, of New Haven, Conn., formerly of Narberth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith, of 310 Essex Ave.

The Misses Elizabeth Jones, Dorothy Bottoms and Mabel Kirkpatrick motored to West Chester State Normal School this week for the fall term.

The Misses Margaret and Katharine Eckbert and Louise Geyer, teachers in the Narberth Schools, are occupying the Log Cabin, at the corner of Narberth and Haverford Avenues.

"Jack" Jefferies, who graduated from Princeton last year, and held down the third base position on the Narberth ball team this summer, is an instructor in English and Mathematics at Hill School, Pottstown, Pa., where he is also coaching the basket ball teams.

Mrs. Ward Pierson, of Stepney Place, has returned from Marblehead, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Trotter and Mrs. L. C. Douglass were in Lancaster Thursday attending the wedding of Miss May Brown and Mr. Thomas Huelner.

Mrs. Alice Bahu, of Spring Grove, has come to Narberth to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Tierney, of Elm Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pranty, of Clearfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Douglass over the week-end.

Mr. William J. Jones, of 103 S. Narberth Ave., returned to Lehigh University this week.

Mrs. J. M. Trotter and her daughter, Ann Elizabeth, have returned from Vermont where they spent the summer as the guest of Mrs. Trotter's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Vallette, of Chestnut Ave., have returned from a camping trip in the Adirondacks.

The women of the Baptist Church will hold their first social of the season next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. J. Jones, 103 S. Narberth Ave. Come and bring your friends, your knitting and your funniest stories. Don't miss this first social as we are going to plan our good times for the winter.

NARBERTH WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPT. 23

	High	Low
Barometer	30.54	29.94
Temperature	81	42
Precipitation	2.01 inches.	
Total since Sept. 1	3.51 inches.	
Temperature deficiency since Sept. 1	7 degrees.	
Temperature excess same period last year	45 degrees.	

Announce Opening Of Season

Junior & Senior Women's Clubs Ready for Fall

The Narberth League of Women Voters is active in a national campaign for 50,000 new members of the organization.

In Narberth letters explaining the scope and ideals of the body have been sent to many women. It is urged that these be read carefully, and that the recipients join with the work of the League.

The campaign throughout the nation takes place on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. On these days, also, Narberth is carrying on her campaign. Workers of the local organization will be on hand in the Y. M. C. A. Building on these afternoons to explain the league to prospective new members.

A dinner to welcome the new members will be held, either on Friday, October 5th, or Monday the 8th, the exact date to be announced next week. This will be held in the Tennis Club building, and addresses will be made by two prominent members of the League. They are Mrs. Herman Schwartz, of Wynnewood, and Miss Gertrude Ely, of Bryn Mawr. Reservations should be made by calling Mrs. James W. Darville, Narberth 1772.

The ideals of the League may be summed up in the pledge of its members:

Believing in government by the people, for the people, I will do my best (1) to inform myself about public questions, the principles and policies of political parties, and the qualifications of candidates for public offices. (2) To vote according to my conscience in every election, primary or final, at which I am entitled to vote. (3) To obey the law even when I am not in sympathy with all its provisions. (4) To support, by all fair means, the policies that I approve. (5) To respect the right of others to uphold convictions that may differ from my own. (6) To regard my citizenship as a public trust.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

The Bucks-Montgomery Bi-County council meeting, American Legion Auxiliary, was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Hewitt, 116 Essex Avenue, on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 20th. Many units of the two counties were represented and all council officers, except the President, Miss Elizabeth Ross, of Doylestown, who is now in Europe, were present.

In the absence of the president, vice president Miss Jean Donaghy, of Ardmore, presided. Mrs. Miller Forbes, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Wm. Rothrock, of Norristown, were the State officers present.

Arthur W. Burns addressed the meeting on Americanism. The address laid particular emphasis on the idealism of the American Legion and the great work it is doing in upholding the fundamental ideals that inspired our forefathers in the establishment of those free institutions we are privileged to live under.

Miss Mildred Smith, of Elm Terrace, entertained us very delightfully with two solos, and tea was served.

The next Bi-County meeting will be held at Newtown the third Thursday in October.

The regular meeting of the Narberth Unit No. 356 will be held at the home of Mrs. Effie M. Burns, 108 Woodside Ave., Tuesday evening, October 2nd. At this meeting, Mrs. Earl Dickie, of Bryn Mawr, will present her report as delegate to the recent State Convention at Reading.

The Baptists will hold their annual picnic this Saturday. If you are a stranger in town you are invited to come and get acquainted. Be at the Church at 11 A. M. and be sure of a hearty welcome and a rousing good time.

Narberth Defeats Berwyn For League Pennant

To Close Season Today With Newton Team

In a game that showed more real baseball than the score indicates, Narberth defeated Berwyn last Saturday, 12 to 7, and thus carried off the 1923 championship of the Main Line League. All hail, then, to Bill Crowell and his sturdy band. They have brought eminence and distinction to the Borough. They have held aloft, unsullied, and unstained, the banner of clean sport, and they have proclaimed Narberth as a virile community which recognizes the beneficent and wholesome influence of the great American pastime with its concomitants of team work, fair play, earnest endeavor and proper physical preparation. The formal occasion which is being planned to observe the splendid achievement should and unquestionably will receive the unstinted support of our entire citizen body.

Saturday's game should be described as an affair of two parts. It started just after the rain ceased. The turf was dead. Both teams were on their toes to little avail. It was an exhausting task for the pitchers. The ball grew heavier inning by inning. The twirlers on both sides broke at the same time. Each one of them had made a herculean effort. Then came the change with the score at 9 to 7. Bill Durbin succeeded Epper Yowell for Narberth. On Berwyn's side, Trost was supplanted by Paist. He has a handsome head, stalwart shoulders and lady legs. His delivery was top-notch. The Narberth batters knew they were up against a real pitcher. But solving pitchers is a Borough specialty. Nevertheless, for three innings we drew a blank. Then came the ninth. With two out, two on base and no runs, Jack Jefferies stalks to the plate and faces the north wind. The pitcher had apparently heard of Jack before. It looks like a base on balls despite the bad strategy. But our Adonis wouldn't have it that way. With his trusty bat he reaches out and pastes the leaden ball on its little nose, landing it in the uttermost recesses of yonder woods for a handsome homer. Thereby, the game is put on ice once and for all. The net result was three runs. Meanwhile, Bill Durbin was a study in cold blood. He simply wouldn't yield an inch. The Berwyn batters were helpless before him. Those who did get on base, with possibly one excep-

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HORSE SHOW

Prominent horsemen and social celebrities from many sections of this country and Canada are attending the twenty-seventh annual Bryn Mawr horse show, which opened on Wednesday at Bryn Mawr.

In conjunction with this event, which has drawn about 1000 entries of hunters in the different classes, the seventh annual Foxhound Show is being held.

Among lovers of thoroughbred horses, the Bryn Mar event is conceded to be the premier hunter show of America, and annually it attracts wide attention and draws entries which assure keen competition and worthy prize-winners.

Because of the large number of distinguished visitors in attendance greater social activity than ever before marks this year's event.

The Bryn Mawr Hospital will again be the beneficiary of the horshow, and a committee of women will manage the cafeteria, which is always one of the features.

A detachment from the Third United States Cavalry has quite a large entry in the military and jumping classes, and their presence on the show ground adds a martial spirit.

Many attractive cups and prizes, including challenge cups, have been offered.

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OUR TOWN will gladly print any news about any subject which is of interest to Narberth folks. Copy is due on Tuesday of each week, at 6 P. M. Late copy received Wednesday evening will be printed only if space is still available.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 29, 1923

EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS

Fire, 350.
Police, 1250.
or Ardmore 20.

ANOTHER CHANCE

Another opportunity is offered the readers of "Our Town" to take out shares in the new series opened at the September meeting of the Narberth Building and Loan Association. The next meeting of this Association will be held at Elmi Hall, Thursday evening, October 4th, and anyone that missed the September meeting can take stock in the new series by paying two months' dues and the usual entrance fee, no fine is charged for the first three months.

There were a number of new stockholders at the last meeting, and new stock was issued amounting to between six and seven hundred dollars a month in dues, but this amount should be greatly increased, and if our residents who at present do not carry Building and Loan stock would inquire from their neighbors just how successful the Narberth Building and Loan Association has been, with earnings of over eight per cent. and the best security possible on the money loaned, they too would become boosters and benefit both themselves and the community.

The funds of the Narberth Building and Loan Association are kept working all the time, and in fact at the present time there is a greater demand for good first and second mortgages right here in Narberth than the Association can take care of, and by becoming a stockholder you are adding to the funds that can be loaned each month.

Several mortgages are paid off each month, or part payments are made, so that the interest is reduced or stopped entirely while the money paid back to the Association is promptly loaned again to another of our citizens who is buying or building a home.

As long as the people living in the suburban towns surrounding Philadelphia take the pride that they now have in beautifying their homes and grounds, real estate values will continue to go up and the home buyer will always be able to sell at a profit.

It is fast reaching a point here in Narberth when all the available ground will be built upon, and it is always desirable to build in a community where you will be assured that the surroundings will be agreeable and from the class of homes that we have here with the streets shaded with beautiful trees and grass and shrubbery all helping to beautify things, you can rest assured that you made no mistake in coming to Narberth.

Remember even though you are not now the owner of your home, a few shares started in the Narberth Building and Loan Association will always come in handy either as a start to buy a home, or a nest egg for some plan you hope to realize in the future. Become a stockholder in the new

series and attend the next meeting of the Narberth Building and Loan Association on Thursday evening next, October 4th, from seven until nine, and any of the Directors will be glad to explain to you the Building and Loan idea at the Fire House in Narberth.

HEARD FROM THE SIDE LINES

Some cat, John. No wonder they have nine lives.

Don't say "swill" to Commish Supple. Call it "refuse" or offal (with the p silent as in fish) but "swill" never as he doesn't like the word.

Yes, she does like him, but she's shy.

At times some of the worst of us perform the kindest of acts, and the best of us the worst—and there you are.

That mostly it is the fat armed women that effect slit short sleeves. However there is more longitude and less latitude in skirts.

She rendered, "What is my Big Boy Tonight?" At the Country Fair, of course.

That some people just dote on party telephone lines. Ask E. she knows.

Here's hoping the new ash cans have been gilded, as per previous suggestion.

Now that the fly season is about over, currant buns are again in favor.

When the Lady Snake Charmer at the Fair was asked if she would have an additional plate of ice cream she replied, "No, I don't want some; I just had any."

That Jim Darville carries his grip so much that some folks thought he was a bootlegger.

To get the same effect as "house maid's knee" climb the Statue of Liberty.

A popular query: "With White Rock or ginger ale?"

Winter Note—Chop your own wood and it will warm you twice. Bring up your own coal, pay the bill, and it will warm you three times.

Step right up to the ticket wagon. How many? How many?

ORCHESTRA UNDER WAY

The Main Line Orchestra, which includes many Narberth players, has begun its second season and indications are that it will justify the hopes of its friends by making an even greater success than it did last year.

Conductor Adolph Vogel, whose work with the young organization from the beginning was largely responsible for its success, will again wield the baton, and has already given the orchestra two rehearsals.

Mr. Vogel was pleasantly surprised on the evening of the first rehearsal, September 6, to find 47 players present. This is a larger number than attended any rehearsal last year, and is a fair indication of the interest aroused among musicians of the community by last year's success.

At the second rehearsal last week, Charles S. Powell, founder of the orchestra and president of the Main Line Orchestra Association, was present and made a short address to the players, thanking them for their interest in the work.

Plans are being made to increase membership in the supporting association and certain changes are to be made in the membership arrangements which will be announced later. The association has been chartered and an organization meeting of members will be called at an early date.

Beginning with the next rehearsal, September 27, the orchestra will hereafter meet for rehearsal in the Parish House of St. Mary's Church, Ardmore Avenue, where a fine large room has been placed at their disposal through the courtesy of the Rev. Andrew H. Haughey.

WE ALL KNOW HIM

Jack—"What kind of a fellow is Blinks?"

Bill—"Well, he is one of those fellows who always grab the stool when there is a piano to be moved."

DAYLIGHT SAVING WILL END ON SUNDAY

Daylight saving will end next Sunday at 2 A. M. At that hour those communities which have been observing the advanced time schedule will go back to Eastern Standard time for the winter. At the same moment, the fall and winter railroad schedules will go into effect.

The average citizen will turn his clocks back an hour on Saturday night when he retires, and will be "on time" when he awakens Sunday morning.

CONTENT

By Mary Chafant

To wander where brown wood-paths call.

Cool, hushed, dim;
Where checkered shadows fret the grass

Wild wood things startle as you pass
Where leaves and blossoms in a mass
Of color fall.

To understand the whispering
Of tall, sad elms,
Or understanding not the trees
To listen only as you please
To songs of brook and bird, and bees
Soft murmuring.

Not to forget world neediness
And true endeavor
Rather to snatch from ruthless time,
To contemplate that gift divine
A pause; for drinking in the wine
Of happiness.

Not only to roam in nature free
Is my content;
But seeing the good within my gates
And working 'til the three, sad Fates
Shall snip the thread that separates
This life from Thee.

Miss Chalfant is a Narberth girl, having graduated from our late High School in 1919. The above was published in "Phaethon," the Wilson College literary magazine. Miss Chalfant graduated from Wilson in June.

DID J'EVER?

Did j'ever break a brand-new straw hat by suddenly clapping your hands on it to prevent it from blowing off?

Did j'ever have a friend tell you how his expenses were increasing just when you were planning to ask him for a loan?

Did j'ever buy a dozen hair nets for your flapper daughter on the day that she had her hair bobbed?

Did j'ever tell a salesman that you were too busy to talk to him and then run into him at the bowling alleys five minutes later?

Did j'ever start to get ready for the big dance and discover that you'd forgotten to have your suit pressed?

Did j'ever stumble over the dog just when you were complimenting yourself on sneaking into the house without waking up your wife?

Did j'ever leave home because you couldn't get along with your parents just one week before your father received a large legacy from a rich uncle?

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Thomas Crabtree, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above Estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same, without delay, to Esther A. Brittain, Executrix, 227 Hampden Ave., Narberth, Pa., or to her attorney, Samuel K. White, 1004 West End Trust Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

SLIGHT CHANCE NOWADAYS

The Man (having surrendered his seat)—"I beg your pardon!"
The Girl—"I didn't speak!"
The Man—"Sorry, I'm sure. I thought you said, 'Thank you!'"

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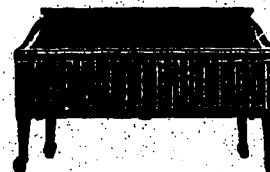
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News of the Churches

ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday masses at 7 o'clock and 10 o'clock. On first and third Sundays the late Mass is a High Mass, followed by benediction.
Daily Mass at 8 A. M.

THE OLD MERION FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE

Montgomery Pike, Narberth, was established 1682. Here William Penn worshipped, as well as many other noted Friends. One of the historical spots of America is open for worship every First-day (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock.

First-day School is held every First-day (Sunday) at 10 A. M. in the Meeting House. Any one desiring to attend either the adult class or the young people's class will be very welcome.

The Philadelphia Quarterly Meeting Visiting Committee will attend Merion Meeting on Ninth Month (Sept.) 23.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister

Meetings for Sept. 30:

9:45 A. M.—Bible School.

11:00 A. M.—Public Worship. Subject of sermon: "The Place of the Church in Modern Thought and Life."

7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Sermon theme: "Living to Serve."

Prayer Meeting next Wednesday evening. A study of the Sixth Psalm.

Rally Day in this Church will be observed on Sunday, Oct. 7 with appropriate exercises throughout the entire day. A meeting of the Family Altar League will be held in the afternoon.

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

M. E. McLinn, Pastor.

Services Sept. 30, 1923:

Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:45 A. M.

Prayer Service at 11:00 A. M.

Evening Service at 7:45 P. M.

The pastor will preach.

Morning theme: "The Great Marriage."

Evening theme: "Well built House."

At the evening service there will be a special effort to make the meeting most interesting and helpful with special music and Bible recitations.

BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Rev. Avery S. Demmy, Pastor.

Services, Sunday, Sept. 30:
(Standard Time)

9:30 A. M.—Prayer Service.

9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.

7:00 P. M.—Young People's Meeting.

7:45 P. M.—Evening Worship. Laymen's Night. Special music by the men and sermon by the pastor.

8:00 P. M., Wednesday evening—Prayer Meeting.

Everybody welcome to the services of this Church.

NARBERTH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Arthur S. Walls, D. D., Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 30:

9:45 A. M.—Bible School.

11:00 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.—Public Worship. Preaching by the Pastor.

6:45 P. M.—Meeting for Young People, The Epworth League.

Church Notes

The Annual Rally Day and Harvest Home Festival will be celebrated on Sunday, Oct. 7. The Church will be decorated with the returns of the harvest, and all donations will be sent to the Methodist Episcopal Home for the Aged.

Prayer Meetings, Wednesdays, 8 P. M.

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The residents of Our Town are proud to boast of their ball team—composed of our own boys. On Tuesday evening, October 16th, the baseball team will be tendered a banquet by the baseball fans and everyone is urged to attend. Further detailed notice of this banquet will appear in the columns of Our Town.

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THE LIBRARY

Short Talks on New Books

Three of the books which were added to the Library shelves this month are very interesting reading but purely fiction.

Among these is Jane Abbot's "Minglegstreams." This is a cheerful outdoor story. Two girls open a tea house in a camp in the woods. A young man suffering from amnesia finds his way there and is taken care of by the girls and their old cook. There is a pretty love story and a bit of mystery, enough to make the book entertaining reading.

"The White Flag," by Gene Stratton Porter is the romantic story of life in the small town of Ashwater. The heroine is amazingly good, the hero, gentle, kind and capable, and the villain just as bad as he should be. The story has plenty of action and after many troubles, Mahala and Jason receive the reward of their goodness. This undoubtedly will be one of the best sellers.

The third, "Fortune's Fool," by Sabatini, is very thrilling after you have read about a third of the way through. It is a story of London in the time of the Restoration. Colonel Holes is fortune's fool in that all his desires are thwarted just as he is about to attain them. There are duels, plagues, kidnapping of a beautiful actress, but finally all ends well.

"Bread," by Charles Morris, is another novel discussing the same subject dealt with in Hutchinson's "This Freedom." Norris in his book contrasts the life of two sisters—one who tires of home life and goes back to office work; the other who finds happiness in her home and the care of her five children. It is a subject which interests everyone and which everyone will want to decide for himself.

Altogether different from these novels is a serious discussion by Henry T. Finck which he calls "Girth Control." This title has a more pleasant sound than dieting but the book is for the very same people. There is plenty of food for thought as well as food for reducing, and it is put in as pleasing a way as is possible with such a subject. Ask for it at the Library and join the Girth Control Army.

"The Late Mattia Pascal," by Luigi Pirandello is reviewed last because it stands somewhat apart from the others. It is an Italian story, being the first translation into English of any of Pirandello's prose. His plays are well known, especially "Six Characters in Search of an Author." While this is fiction it has quite a different flavor from the many English novels. The story starts by saying that the document containing the story of Mattia Pascal's life must not be read until his third and last death. Anyone with a spark of curiosity will read anxiously on to find out how the late Mr. Pascal managed three demises. It makes an interesting story and shows the many troubles that may befall the man who tries to be another person and yet live on the same earth and in the same body.

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FOR SALE—A gray enameled baby coach, good condition, price \$8.00. Phone Narberth 1652-W. (51-p)

LOST—Stone-marten choker fur on Sunday evening September 23rd in the vicinity of the station. Kindly phone Narberth 1612-W or return to 500 Woodside Ave. Reward. (51-c)

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SERVICES OF LUTHERAN CHURCH

Narberth is receiving a number of newcomers this fall, and as the Lutherans do not as yet have a Church building, some of the people may not know services are being held regularly every Sunday.

The local congregation which has been in existence about a year and a half is making rapid strides under the inspiring leadership of Rev. McLinn, who was called to the field the beginning of the current year. Plans are being made, and it is expected, active work will soon be begun on a Church building on the lot at the corner of Narberth and Woodbine Ave., which was selected for the Chautauqua held this month on account of its central location.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the services every Sunday in the building at the corner of Haverford and Forest Aves., as noted in the column of Church notices.

OCTOBER TENTH

The Women's Auxilliary of the Presbyterian Church will meet Wednesday, the tenth of October. This is the second Wednesday of the Month, as decided upon at the June meeting. All women interested in welfare work are invited to attend. The sewing for the Bryn Mawr Hospital must be finished by December. So come and arrange to stay from ten o'clock in the morning until four in the afternoon. Lunch will be served by a competent committee. At this meeting the mite boxes must be returned. Bala Home Donation Day will be Thursday, October the Eleventh. Bring something for this Home to the Auxilliary meeting. Cereals, jellies, etc., or money. Keep the change of date in mind, always the second Wednesday in the month, and not the first as heretofore. Now all together for a good winter work.

Baseball

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tion, would have surely perished on 'Gene Davis' corner with a fast field. His gyrations and curlyeues betokened the past master. Done with a child's burnt stick at night they would have been things of amazing beauty. Splendid fellow, Bill, and he has his moments of mercy, too. "Don't let him use his spitball," beseeched Berwyn to the umpire as the announcement came that Bill would ascend the mound. "All right, then," says Bill, "I won't use it." He didn't have to. There's more in that capacious chest than a spiteriferous spitball.

And let not the record close without appreciative tribute to the extraordinary contribution of Vernon Fleck to the day's results. He maintained the standard of his trade every minute of the fray. Borough Auditors always have to deal with big figures. Small items are not in their line. Therefore, when Vernon goes after hits, he gets them in half-dozen lots. His fielding work was also on a wholesale basis, with five outs, and that, plus two runs, makes a grand total of 13 good marks, the red letter figures of the day. This town sure made no mistake in choosing that boy as its Most Exalted Auditor. The score:

Narberth

	r	h	o	a	e
V. Fleck, cf.	2	6	5	0	0
Heckel, rf., ss.	0	1	0	0	1
Davis, lb.	1	1	9	1	0
Durbin, ss., p.	3	2	2	2	0
Jefferies, 3b.	2	3	0	1	0
Humphries, 2b.	1	4	1	1	0
G. Fleck, lf.	0	0	2	0	0
Burns, c.	2	1	8	0	1
Yowell, p.	1	2	0	1	1
Totals	12	20	27	6	3

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	r	h	o	a	e
Hay'an, 3b.	1	2	2	1	0
Mayo, ss.	1	2	3	2	1
Lewis, lf.	1	0	0	1	0
Paist, cf., p.	2	2	0	2	1
Trost, p., 2b.	1	1	1	3	0
Higgins, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Hampshire, c.	1	1	9	3	0
Dorsaneo, 2b.	0	1	1	0	0
Collier, cf.	0	1	1	0	0
Kirk, lb.	0	2	9	0	0
Totals	7	11	27	12	2

Narberth	1	1	2	1	4	0	0	3	—12
Berwyn	0	0	1	1	5	0	0	0	—7

Two base hits—V. Fleck, Paist, 2; Three base hits—V. Fleck, Davis, Durbin, Trost. Home run—Jefferies. Struck out by—Yowell, 3; Durbin, 4; Trost, 4; Paist, 3. Bases on balls off—Yowell, 1; Durbin, 1; Trost, 2; Paist, 1. Umpires—Boone and Griffith.

Last Game

The final obsequies of the 1923 baseball season will be performed at the Narberth Baseball field today.

The Narberth team, winners of the Main Line League in both cantos, will officiate. And among the mourners will be our dusky friends The Newton Coal Tossers.

These two teams are in a tie, each having won one game—and played a third to a tie.

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